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Attorney's Docket: 29606.010200

In re application of: Jeffrey D. PYLANT
Serial No.: 09/696,193
Filed: October 26, 2000

Mail Stop Amendment
COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

| CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION | |
|---|---------------------------------------|
| I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS CORRESPONDENCE IS BEING TRANSMITTED VIA FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION TO THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE AT (571) 273-8300 | |
| ON | April 19, 2006 |
| BY | <i>Sandra Ferony</i> SANDRA FERONY |

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION in the above-identified application.

☒ Applicant claims the benefit of Small Entity Status.☒ No additional claim fee is required.☒ No extension of time fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

| (1) | (2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT | (3) | (4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | (5) PRESENT EXTRA | (6) RATE | (7) ADDITIONAL FEE |
|------------------|--|-------|--|-------------------------|-------------|--------------------------|
| TOTAL CLAIMS | 4 | MINUS | 1 | 0 | x \$25.00 | \$00.00 |
| INDEP. CLAIMS | 1 | MINUS | 1 | 0 | x \$100.00 | \$0.00 |
| | | | TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT | | \$00.00 | |

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Final Office Action Mailed January 19, 2006

☐ Please charge my Deposit Account No. 50-0653 in the amount of \$_____. Two copies of this sheet are attached for this purpose.

☐ Applicant(s) request(s) that the time for taking action in this case be extended pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a).

☐ Included in the attached check is the statutory fee of \$ ____ for an extension of time for _____ months.

☒ If the box for the sentence immediately above is marked but no check is attached, then charge the statutory fee recited in such sentence for an extension of time of the number of months recited in such sentence to Deposit Account No. 50-0653. Two copies of this sheet are attached for this purpose.

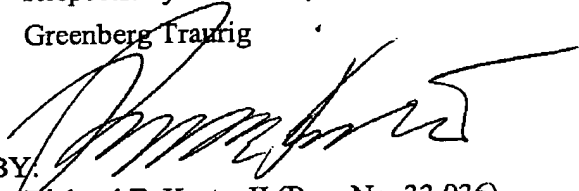
☐ Charge the Statutory Fee of \$ _____ for an extension of time of _____ month(s) to Deposit Account No. 50-0653.

☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0653:

Respectfully submitted,

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BY:


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In re Application of: JEFFREY D. PYLANT

Group Art Unit: 3624

Serial No.: 09/696,193

Examiner: Hamilton, Lalita M.

Filed: October 26, 2000

**For: BUYER-DRIVEN PURCHASING LOYALTY SYSTEM AND METHOD
USING AN ELECTRONIC NETWORK**

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed January 19, 2006, please amend the above-captioned application as follows:

A Listing of Claims begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.